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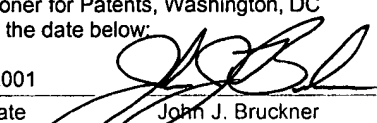
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RE: SN 09/746,860 "ENCRYPTED COMPILER" - John F. Croix

Sir:

Please find enclosed:

- (1) A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) mailed February 27, 2001;
- (2) Declaration of John F. Croix;
- (3) Power of Attorney;
- (4) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted;
- (5) Check in the amount of \$1586.00; and
- (6) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

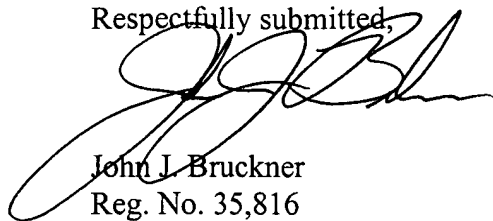
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Respectfully submitted,

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In re Application of:
John Croix

Serial No.: 09/746,860

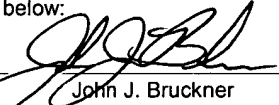
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), dated February 27, 2001, there are enclosed herewith:

- (a) Declaration executed on behalf of John F. Croix;
- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of SILICON METRICS CORPORATION;
- (c) Our check in the amount of \$1586.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$710.00 - utility large entity); surcharge for late filing (\$130.00); additional claims fee (\$746.00); and

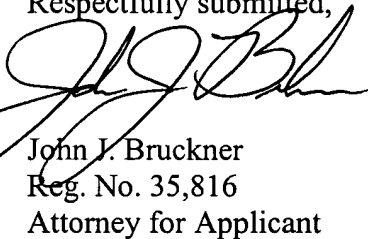
- (e) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Filed Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted.

An Assignment to SILICON METRICS CORPORATION and a check for \$1586.00 are being filed under separate cover.

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Respectfully submitted,



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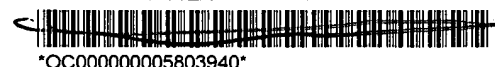
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02 FC:105	130.00 OP
03 FC:103	666.00 OP
04 FC:102	80.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

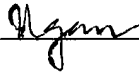
- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$746.
 - \$666 for 37 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1586.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.



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